

IN THE CIRCUIT COURT OF PULASKI COUNTY, ARKANSAS
SEVENTEENTH DIVISION

BEN MOTAL

PLAINTIFF

V.

CASE NO. 60CV-19-184

CITY OF LITTLE ROCK

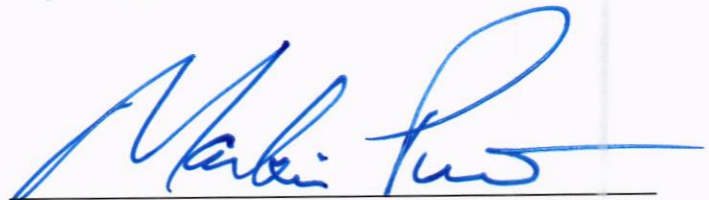
DEFENDANT

ORDER

On this day came on for consideration Plaintiff's request for costs and fees incurred in connection with recent contempt proceedings and the City's untimely Motion To Reconsider Judgment. The City of Little Rock was afforded an opportunity to respond to Plaintiff's request but has declined to do so. Based on the pleadings and evidence before the Court, the Court finds that Plaintiff reasonably incurred additional litigation costs and attorney's fees in the amount of ~~\$18,850.00~~ ^{\$500.00 MP} as a result of the City's contempt. The Court therefore assesses such amount against the City as a remedial sanction for its contempt which is necessary to compensate Plaintiff for his costs incurred in connection with the court proceedings caused by the City's failure to timely comply with the Court's August 15, 2022 order.

It is therefore ORDERED that the City of Little Rock shall pay the amount of ~~\$18,850.00~~ ^{\$500.00 MP} to Plaintiff within thirty (30) days of the entry of this order.

IT IS SO ORDERED this 15 day of March, 2023.



Honorable Mackie Pierce
Circuit Judge